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Dear Civic Group or Club or Organization,

The Lincoln community is planning a community event called a Volunteer-a-thon to generate more volunteer service hours for non-profit agencies. The event will be during the week of April 11-18 with a wrap-up celebration at the Volunteer Partners city-wide volunteer recognition on April 18.

The Volunteer-a-thon is sponsored by Ameritas Life Insurance Corp., Channel 8 KLKN-TV, Kiwanis Club of Lincoln, and Volunteer Partners. We would ask that your civic group, club or organization encourage your members to provide 8 hours of volunteer service or an \$8 donation to support volunteer programming in our community. Eight hours is a typical workday and eight hours or more of volunteer time spread out over a month or more can be a great help to a non-profit of your choice.

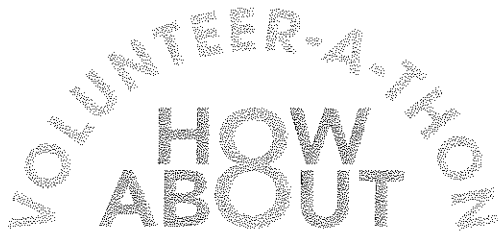
We are very sure that your group, club, or organization already provides volunteer hours to those special programs that you support. Why not encourage your members to volunteer at a non-profit they have never supported before or encourage your members who are not as active to spend some time volunteering with a non-profit of their choice.

Contact the Volunteer Partners office at 435-2100 for a Pledge Form or complete one on our website at www.volunteerparkers.org. The Pledge Form includes instructions on the steps to your participation. Volunteer time pledged can be completed anytime during 2004.

What do you get out of this? That depends on you. You will find that by volunteering time you may make new acquaintances, build job skills, get to witness a smile on a young child who never smiles, utilize a special talent, or pay back a organization who has helped you or a family member. Your donations of money are tax deductible, but **most importantly**, you will receive a great sense of satisfaction that you will have made a significant difference in your community by sharing your time and expertise to improve the quality of life through whatever organization you have chosen to help.

Please think about being a part of our **Volunteer-a-thon** in Lincoln!

Volunteer-a-thon 2004 Steering Committee



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PLEDGE FORM

The **Volunteer-a-thon 2004how about 8?** is a community event to generate more volunteer services hours in Lincoln for all of our non-profit agencies and to raise funds to support efforts in promoting and supporting volunteer programming in our community. Won't you join us?

Yes, sign me up! I would be happy to volunteer 8 hours or more and/or donate \$8 or more!

If you prefer to submit your pledge online visit us at www.volunteerpartners.org.

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

☐ I will pledge _____ hours of volunteer time

What is your volunteer interest? _____

☐ I will pledge _____ dollars to support efforts in promoting and supporting volunteer programming in our community. *(Please make your check payable to Volunteer Partners.)*

Are you currently an active volunteer in the community? ____ Yes ____ No

If not, have you volunteered in the last five years? ____ Yes ____ No

If your employer is supporting your volunteer effort, please tell us who they are: _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!

Please return this form by April 18, 2004 to

Volunteer Partners, 215 Centennial Mall South Suite 325, Lincoln, NE 68508.

If you have questions, please do not hesitate to call Volunteer Partners at (402) 435-2100.